Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 27 Jan 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 28 Jan 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 26 Jan 2021 at 10:06

Confidence: High for mild but murky conditions over next couple of days, then dropping for detail on Friday and low for time of arrival of rain and snow on Sunday.

Headline for Wednesday 27 Jan 2021: Cloudy with extensive hill fog. Occasional rain and drizzle, becoming heavier and more persistent in evening. Moderate southwest breeze.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 27 Jan 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG		FOG					
Fog	Light rain	Fog	Drizzle	Light rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
20%	60%	20%	60%	20%	50%	90%	90%

Forecast for Wednesday 27 Jan 2021

Weather: It will remain overcast throughout, with extensive hill fog, and occasional rain or drizzle. The rain will become heavier and more persistent in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Very little chance

Visibility: Moderate below cloud at times in good shelter in north but poor in rain and drizzle. Otherwise widely very poor at height with extensive low cloud, bases down to 300-400m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	14/19 W	13/18 W	11/15 W	9/14 SW	10/15 SW	11/16 SW	11/15 S	13/18 S	14/21 S
300	7/16 W	7/16 SW	6/13 SW	5/11 SW	6/12 SW	7/15 SW	6/13 S	6/15 S	9/18 S
Valley	7/16 W	5/14 W	5/13 W	3/10 SW	5/11 SW	6/14 SW	3/9 S	4/10 S	8/19 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/1	5/1	5/2	5/2	6/3	6/3	6/3	6/3	6/2
300	7/5	7/4	7/4	6/5	8/6	8/6	8/6	8/6	8/5
Valley	7/5	7/5	7/5	7/6	9/8	8/7	8/7	8/6	8/6
Freezing Level*	1400m	1600m	1700m	1900m	2000m	2000m	2000m	2300m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Navigational difficulties will be the main hazard on Wednesday.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Tue 26 Jan 2021	1mm	2.4mm	5.2mm

Forecast for Thursday 28 Jan 2021

Weather: Staying cloudy with hill fog. Further heavy rain overnight, turning light and intermittent in the morning, and just a little sporadic drizzle in the afternoon. Heavier rain returning in the evening, then probably clearer by midnight

Maximum wind: West to southwest 40 gusts 55mph, easing in evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Little chance with extensive cloud 300-400m, lifting slightly in the afternoon.

Visibility: Poor in heavier rain, occasionally good below the cloud in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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